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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	Docket No.: 4:19-cr-00009-RRB-SAO
)	
vs.)	
)	
CHRISTOPHER L. GORDON,)	
)	
Defendant.)	DECLARATION OF COUNSEL IN
)	SUPPORT OF MOTION TO WAIVE
)	APPEARANCE

BRIAN J. STIBITZ declares as follows:

1. I am the attorney representing Defendant Christopher L. Gordon in the above-referenced action. I have personal knowledge of the facts contained in this declaration and if asked to testify to the same would and could competently do so.

2. Defendant resides in Kaktovik, Alaska, and thus must fly to and from Fairbanks to attend the arraignment. Defendant has a limited income and savings, and believed he will have difficulty procuring the funds required for a plane ticket. Defendant

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is employed at Facility Maintenance at the North Slope Borough's Public Works Department in Kaktovik, and is scheduled to work on August 15, 2019. Lastly, Defendant lacks child care for his 2 ½ year old child, Vincent Gordon, should he be required to travel to Fairbanks for the arraignment.

Dated: Anchorage, Alaska
August 12, 2019

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on the 12th day of August, 2019, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was filed with the Court via ECF/CMS, and as a safeguard a copy was emailed to the following:

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